**TIPS TO TRANSFER**

1. Visit a BC counselor.
2. Choose a major and select one or more four-year colleges or universities for eventual transfer.
3. Consult the online course catalog for the chosen college or university to determine requirements for both general education and major preparation.
4. Visit [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) to determine what courses will transfer to the four-year college/university.
5. Consult the community college course catalog.
6. Find applications for admission at the CSU Mentor website [www.csumentor.edu](http://www.csumentor.edu).
7. Apply to more than two colleges or universities.
8. Get involved in your school and your community.
9. Explore the websites of the chosen colleges.
10. Talk to other students who have transferred. Ask questions. Discuss with your counselor.
11. Fill out a FAFSA each year.
12. Apply for scholarships each year.

Delano area Bakersfield College students and faculty have been working together as members of the Transitions CLIP (Community of Learning and Integrated Practice) who gathered the information and compiled the flyer. Many of the Transitions CLIP students have recently successfully transferred to CSUB. They learned a lot in the process. They hope to share some of what they have learned in order to make the process easier for students who follow them.

This information was gathered during Fall 2005 and updated June 2006. Consult websites for current information.

Recommended websites:
- [www.csub.edu](http://www.csub.edu)
- [www.universityofcalifornia.edu](http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu)
- [www.californiacolleges.edu](http://www.californiacolleges.edu)
- [www.stanford.edu](http://www.stanford.edu)
- [www.usc.edu](http://www.usc.edu)
- [www.berkeley.edu](http://www.berkeley.edu)
- [www.calstatela.edu](http://www.calstatela.edu)
- [www.ucop.edu/pathways](http://www.ucop.edu/pathways)
- [www.csusb.edu](http://www.csusb.edu)
- [www.csun.edu](http://www.csun.edu)
- [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org)
- [www.css.calpoly.edu](http://www.css.calpoly.edu)

Attend BC Transfer Day in the Fall
Go to the transfer calendar of the BC website for information:
- [www.bakersfieldcollege.edu/transfer/](http://www.bakersfieldcollege.edu/transfer/)

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To view this flyer with live internet links, go to [www2.bakersfieldcollege.edu/manhalt](http://www2.bakersfieldcollege.edu/manhalt)
Have You Ever Thought "What Are The Steps To Transfer?"
It's easy as 1-2-3.

1. Contact your counselor. Ask your counselor to show you where to find important information by yourself.
2. Apply and register on time.
3. Pass your classes and make sure to fill out all paperwork that is required by your university.

In Fall 2005, the Transitions CLIP surveyed approximately 75 Bakersfield College students taking classes at the Delano Center. In the survey the students were asked if they wanted to transfer after BC and, if so, to what colleges and/or universities. The universities mentioned most frequently were:

- CSUB
- Fresno State
- UCLA
- San Diego State

A student may apply for admission to a four-year college or university as either a freshman or a transfer student. Requirements for admission are different for incoming freshmen and transfer students. The CLIP gathered the following information from the websites and universities from the three different systems: CSU, UC, and Private.

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CSU Freshmen qualifications:
- Graduate from High School
- Complete required courses with a "C" or better
- Qualifying SAT I or ACT Scores.

CSU Transfer qualifications:
- Complete at least 60 semester units.
- GPA of 2.00 or higher

UC Freshmen qualifications:
- Strength in your senior courses and GPA
- Personal qualities (e.g. motivation, leadership)
- Performance in SAT I/ACT and SAT II.
- Complete 15 units of high school courses to fulfill the subject area requirements.

UC Transfer qualifications:
- Complete at least 60 transferable semester units
- Minimum GPA 2.40
- Complete required courses with a "C" or better

CSUB
Fresno State
UCLA
San Diego State

For more information:
http://www.calstatela.edu/univ/admiss/xfert.htm or http://www.csub.edu/admissions/admissions/transfer.shtml

There are several ways to apply to a CSU:
- Visit the CSU Mentor website at www.csumentor.edu
- Request an admission application packet.
- Call the University Outreach Office or email the office.

There will be a non-refundable $55 filing fee. Fee waivers are available.

University of California (UC)
(Examples: UC Riverside and UC Berkeley)

UC Freshman qualifications:
- GPA (very high and varies by institution)
- SAT/ACT Scores
- Counselor and/or teacher recommendation
- Personal interview

For more information, visit:
http://my.ucr.edu/applicants/freshman.aspx or http://students.berkeley.edu/admissions/freshmen/standards/

UC Transfer qualifications:
- GPA of 3.50 or higher
- Qualifying SAT scores
- Complete at least 26 semester units (at least 64 units for USC)

For more information, visit:
http://www.usc.edu/admission/undergraduate/admission/transfer/requirements/ or http://registrar.stanford.edu/students/academics/xfer_credit.htm

There are several ways to apply:
- Apply online
- Download a copy of the form
- Contact the university office of Admissions and Records